

We are still having poor weather for farming, but hope to be able to do better soon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Knapp on April 21, a daughter.

Mrs. McCombs, who has been keeping the boarding house for the "Millstone" Mfg. Co. has moved back to her farm on Beaver creek.

Mrs. Dr. E. B. Hill, of Marlinton, is visiting her grandfather Henry Barlow who is still confined to his room and bed.

Ellis Sharp and family made a flying visit to Harter last Sunday.

Frank Dilley is moving his saw mill in this week to do a lot of sawing for C. H. Taylor on Stony Creek.

John Gay, of Edray, was here Tuesday of this week on business.

Mrs. Carrol, of Virginia, has been very sick at the home of Amos Curry for several days she

Mr. and Mrs. John Malcomb, of Marlinton spent last Sunday at P. L. Carters at this place.

Miss Agnes Gay, of Edroy was visiting her parents Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Caroline Price, of Virginia has been visiting relatives in the vicinity for several days.

E. H. Moore, of Academy was a business visitor at this place last Saturday.

Wm. Gilmore, of Webster county was calling on relatives in this neighborhood Sunday and Monday.

Henry Moore was out buggy riding last Sunday evening.

Miss Bossie Baxter is on the sick list.

H. Mason, of Elkins is in this neighborhood this week on business.

Some of our people are planting corn and others are getting

and would be pleased to give the names of at least one person at each office who will make good correspondents. We want correspondents who know what news is, who write a good legible hand and who are not inclined to be too funny. The news is what we want.

Don't forget the proposition made by the Managers of the Opera House to further advertise the class of entertainment offered by the Redpath-Brookway Entertainment Bureau who booked the present course that children would be admitted free from the Marlinton and Campbelltown schools under the age of 15 years. The management expects to book a similar course next year and afford Marlinton people seeing and hearing the best talent traveling in the Southern States.

Don't miss the Roger Grilley Pectala the second number of the Marlinton Chatauqua Course next Thursday night, January 26, 1911. Season tickets can be purchased at the Opera House for \$1.75 adults and 90 cents for children. This is the same course given at Buchanan, Lewisburg and Huntington and every number is strictly first class.

J. A. Hoover and Miss Mary Kee were united in marriage at Roncoverte Thursday, January 12th, Rev. Ben Harrop officiating. The news was a surprise to their friends here where both are well known. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Kee who lives near Marlinton and a most excellent young lady. The groom is a prosperous business man of Marlinton having been engaged in the mercantile business here a number of years, coming here from Marlinton, Va.

be dealer that sells a poor grade of gasoline is the fellow that is going to be by the shortest route and he ought to be. The user of a gasoline engine or an automobile has enough to contend with with the best grade of gasoline. For two whole days this week we fretted and worried and cursed about our engine to find that with good fuel it worked like a charm. After using the press of the Times for the past six weeks we were enabled to print THE MESSENGER on our own press. During the past six weeks ago our engine froze and burst the jacket and while awaiting we took advantage of the occasion to have our press in thorough repair. It is now running smoothly and a better and heavier paper is the result. Try it by glancing over the columns

#### Oneta.

The health of the community is very good at this time. Grant Duncan has been on the sick list but is better now.

Otis Wilson, of Lewis county, is visiting at the home of Preston Duncan this winter.

Misses Lottie Beverage and Beanie Vanreeman have been visiting relatives on Laurel creek for some days.

Spelling matches are in vogue in this neighborhood. The West Union school, taught by Elmer Duncan, is getting along nicely. A spelling match was an enjoyable event at this school last Friday night. Amos Beverage was the unfortunate one at the Pine Grove spelling match. His side was beaten the worst of all. He has about recovered from his defeat.

Eliett Smith was a pleasant caller on Spruce Flat recently.

Miss Nora Adkinson, of Buckeye, who has been staying at W. G. Cochran's, has returned home.

Emmett Galford and Bernard Vanreen are will go south in the spring to find a more healthful climate than this.

Porter Kellison and E. F. EcLaughlin were at Huntersville last Saturday attending a meeting of the Mutual Telephone Co.

N. C. Rogers, of Buckeye, was visiting at the home of Mrs. Jacob Beverage last Sunday.

Adam Beverage was visiting relatives at Buckeye recently.

Ray Kellison has returned from a visit to relatives at Clarksburg.

Neal Beverage, the champion skunk hunter, says the weather is too mild for successful skunk hunting.

Asa Barlow has been ailing considerably for some time supposed to be caused by a fall on roller skates.

Lee Carter and Porter Kellison will go to Greenbrier county in a short time to visit relatives.

While they last a famous "Pompeian Beauty" Art Picture is being presented by S. B. Wallace & Co., to every purchaser of a jar of Pompeian Massage Cream. Pompeian is the standard face cream and the picture is usually expensive.

number of the city was having service in the Union army with distinction. He leaves a wife and six children. His children are Ulysses, who lives at Chesapeake Hayes and Garfield, who lives near Dunmore, Mrs. Edith Leight, and Mrs. Amelia Gregg of Huntington and Mrs. James George of Frost.

Have you a weak throat? If so, you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another and the best is always the earlier to cure. If you will take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at the outset you will be saved much trouble. Sold by all dealers.

No. 6538

## REPORT OF THE THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Marlinton, in the State of West Virginia  
Business Year ending January 31, 1911

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	.....
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	.....
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	.....
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	.....
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures	.....
Due from National Banks (not reserved)	.....
Due from State and Private Banks and Savings Banks	.....
Due from approved Reserve Agents	.....
Checks and other Cash Items	.....
Expenses	.....
Notes of other National Banks	.....
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Specie	.....
Legal-tender notes	.....
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury	.....

Total.....

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	.....
Surplus fund	.....
National Bank Notes outstanding	.....
Due to other National Banks	.....
Due to State and Private Banks and Dividends unpaid	.....
Individual deposits subject to check	.....
Demand certificate of deposit	.....
Certified checks	.....
Cashier's checks outstanding	.....

Total.....

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY OF POCAHONTAS, ss:

I, J. A. Sydenstricker, Cashier,  
do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1911.

CORRECT—Attest:  
N. C. McNEIL }  
B. M. YEAGER } Directors  
Geo. P. Moore }



Several of the above will travel burning sands.

The residence of Mrs. Rachel McCutcheon, at Dunmore, was destroyed by fire last Sunday morning with all its contents. The fire caught from a defective flue, and the house being old and very dry it burned so rapidly that nothing could be saved. Her step-son, Walter Bird, had just moved in a couple of days before and all his goods were destroyed. His loss is about \$800.

Mother's Day will be observed in the day School service of the Academy M. Church, South at 9:45 a. m. Sunday, May 14th. A pleasing and profitable program will be rendered. All mothers tributed to the school are cordially invited, and urged to be present. At 11 a. m. the day School assemblage will adjourn in the auditorium of the church where an appropriate to Mother's Day will be held.

Hinton Camp, No. 9766 M. W. of A. Reception at their lodge room Wednesday evening in honor of neighbor Ja-Hlatt, who leaves in a few days for fields of labor. A. D. Williams was master of the evening and a good hour was spent by the members of the camp, the Royal Neighbors and a number of guests. Refreshments were served and all present report an elegant

Lecture Sunday afternoon (May 14) at 2 o'clock will be delivered in the church, South, by Dr. C. H. Chapin, Associate of the University College at Richmond, Va., and professor of Materia Medica and Botany in that university. The subject of the lecture will be "The Destructive Power of the Fire," and all are invited.

W. Lee Wilmoth, J. H. H. Sharp, Sam Sheets, Will Woodde, H. B. McCormick, George L. Bright, Porter Kellison, M. C. Carter, G. C. Auldridge, J. W. Baxter, J. W. Klannison, Wise Herold, Edward Humes, F. M. White, Fred Pritchard, J. B. Buckley, A. O. Baxter, Robert Gibson, W. J. Killingsworth, Loring Kerr, E. N. Moore, H. G. Fisher and Sherman P. Curry.

**ONOTO.**

Giles Sharp, of the Fairview neighborhood, was on the creek looking after his stock a few days ago.

Howard Webb, of Kentucky, and Geo. Waugh, of Edray, passed through here recently.

J. W. Gilmore and wife, of upper Elk, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Messrs. George and W. H. Gilmore.

C. H. Taylor, of Elkins, was looking after his lumber interests here a few days ago.

Miss Edith Baxter is visiting friends in Elkins this week.

W. A. Beverage went to Hinton last week to see his wife who is in the hospital and reports her condition much improved.

Mrs. George Auldridge and Mrs. P. L. Carter were visiting Thomas Auldridge, at Warwick the other day.

Corn planting is progressing very nicely about here the last few days.

W. C. Householder, of the Marlinton Meat Co., was a recent visitor in this section. He was looking after the wool business and informed the writer that he was ready to purchase every pound of wool produced in the county.

**FROST.**

We are having some dry, cool weather at this time which makes grass and feed

very busy getting ready for planting.

Cambric corset covers trimmed with tureen ever 25c

**CREX DRUGGET**  
9x12 feet 10.00 value

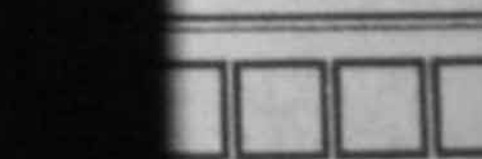
**CROSS THE ADVERSITY BANK ACCOUNT**



**START IT NOW**

A. D. Brown, President of the bank, has been in St. Louis and Boston, clerking for the bank. He has bought an interest in the bank worth millions. Thousands of people are

**MAKE O The Bar**



Don't se

### Office Statistics,

Overholt has handed us the  
res showing the receipts of  
office for the past five years  
resting items.

for 1906.....	\$4779.40
for 1907.....	5810.81
for 1908.....	5267.48
for 1909.....	5754.57
for 1910.....	6089.95

Total.....\$27202.16

for 1906.....\$2685.81

for 1907..... 2990.51

for 1908..... 2791.44

for 1909..... 2190.97

for 1910..... 3521.49

Total.....\$15180.22

pts for December, 1910,

against \$1580.71 for the

preceding year. This

because the volume of

work during December on

days.

8,820 one cent stamps

at Marlinton office; the

cent stamps disposed of

4,805. Patrons of the

urchased \$1624.48 worth

of stamps during the

past year. In

1909, 10,000 stamps

were registered, while

in 1908, 12,000 stamps

were registered, an average

of 11,000 stamps per

year.

domestic money orders

for 1909, the number of

orders was 315. In

The county court has a standing offer  
of \$100 reward for the apprehension of  
persons who willfully set fire to the woods  
and this reward has been greatly increas-  
ed by an offer from Mr. Dilley. If the  
guilty persons can be brought to justice  
they should be given the full extent of  
the law.

### NOTICE.

News is very scarce this week.

Farmers have their corn planted but it  
is most too dry to grow.

The fire has been doing great damage  
on Laurel creek. It has burned out sev-  
eral trestles for the Campbell Lumber Co.

Miss Edith Baxter returned Monday  
from Elkins where she had been visiting  
Miss Pearl Taylor for a week.

A. C. Barlow sheared his sheep this  
week.

W. A. Barlow has returned from Hin-  
ton and reports that his wife is getting  
along nicely.

We have a very interesting Sunday  
school here and we hope it will so con-  
tinue.

Mrs. Hulda Auldrige has been suffer-  
ing with grip.

We have fine prospects for fruit this  
year.

Business Notice—I have sold my gro-  
cery business to J. L. Sheets and will call  
on my customers in person, and will ex-  
pect prompt payment of all accounts.—R.

### An Old Time Arm

Deet Hurt, son of Ira Hurt  
on lower Piney, in this co-  
possessor of a rifle which has  
able local history. The gun was  
tured by Joseph Carper, at  
is not now definitely known  
known to have been some  
the outbreak of the civil war  
time Carper was known as  
most efficient gunsmith in the  
reputation which was well  
judging from the materials  
ship displayed in this speci-  
to-day doing as good service  
was first put to use. Not  
material of the best quality,  
mountings and trimmings  
to have been possessed of  
nary artistic taste. That  
ilities were appreciated in  
gun had to prove its merit  
the fact that it was a  
prize without question at  
Salt Lake, now Roanoke,  
war, but the exact date  
available.

In the course of time the  
way into the family of  
McGinnis, of this city, who  
ful service for a long time  
into the possession of the  
eral Alfred Beckley, in  
it remained until upon the  
Beckley, son of the Gen

